



WILLIAM BALOPOLE
To Attend Convention

Loan Official At Convention In Miami Beach

William Balopole, executive vice president of American Savings and Loan Assn. is attending the annual convention of the United States Savings and Loan League at Miami Beach, Fla.

Balopole is attending the convention, at Miami Beach from November 14th through November 18, in the dual capacity of American Savings and Loan Assn. delegate, and as a member of the branch committee of the League.

This distinction was conferred upon Balopole because of American Savings and Loan Assn's position as one of the largest multi-branch associations in the industry, with 12 branches throughout the Los Angeles area, located in Azusa, Hawthorne, La Puente, Manhattan Beach, Montrose, Norwalk, Palmdale, Redondo Beach, South Bay Center-Redondo, Temple City, Whittier and East Whittier.

THE CONVENTION, the savings and loan industry's most important event of the year, includes delegates from most of the 6200 savings and loan associations in the United States.

In his dual capacity at the convention, Balopole will be representing one of the largest

Local Firm Completes Prototype Of Oil Decontamination System

Horkey-Moore Associates has completed a prototype portable oil decontamination unit designed to remove impurities from hydraulic and oil systems of aircraft, missiles and heavy duty industrial machinery.

Designated the Porta De-Con, the trailer-mounted unit was undertaken as a proprietary development with company funds.

Consultant on Insurance to Address Group

Ted Ellsworth, who has been serving as a consultant to the Assembly Interim Committee investigating health insurance and medical and hospital costs, will speak on "The Future of Health Insurance," at a meeting of the Life Underwriters Assn., Harbor Branch, here next Friday at the Palms, it was announced yesterday by Newell Larsen, first vice president and program chairman of the group.

Ellsworth, in addition to his assignment with the Assembly committee, is consultant to 10 other groups including hospitals, medical groups, and various associations.

He has served as labor, insurance, and medical consultant to labor unions, councils, and management, and has presented papers to medical societies, forensic societies, hospitals, and labor management conferences, Larsen said.

Bill Cameron, a Redondo Beach councilman, is president of the group and will preside at Friday's meeting.

independent savings and loan associations in the state of California. American Savings and Loan Assn. has grown from 75 savers and \$105,000 in 1920 to its present resources of over \$245 million and more than 91,000 savers. The firm's reserves are well in excess of \$21 million, more than twice Federal requirements, and almost twice the national average.

USE OF THE Porta De-Con is planned to create direct savings by lowering oil and parts replacement costs, cutting maintenance costs and requiring fewer skilled personnel for cleaning operations, E. J. Horkey, president of the Torrance firm, said. Additionally, project engineers expect the unit to cut "down-time" on engines and machinery, indirectly cutting operating costs.

The portable unit was designed to clean and recharge oil and closed hydraulic systems in aircraft, missiles, manually operated or automatic industrial systems. In addition, it will deaerate closed hydraulic systems, dehydrate and remove solid particles from transformer dielectric oils.

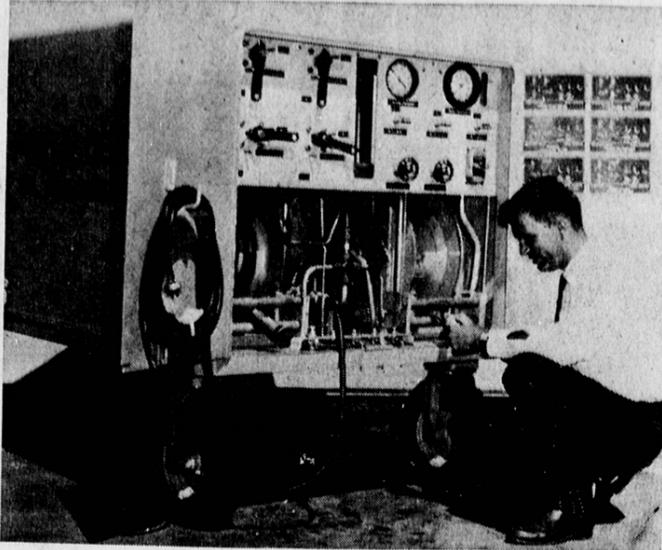
APPLIED TO heating equipment, the Porta De-Con will clean and dry burner oil, diesel, RP-1, JP-4, JP-5, kerosene, stove oil, and gasoline types of fuels and systems.

The full range of the unit's capability allows immediate application to the decontamination problems of commercial airlines, the military, machine shops, and maritime and industrial firms.

Operating either from standard electric power or from a self-contained gasoline engine, the Porta De-Con handles a five gpm flow utilizing two micron filters and a desiccator to decontaminate fluids and oils.

ONE FILTER element has high filtration and dirt-holding capacities but does not coalesce water. A second type serves to convert the Porta De-Con into a filter-separator with high dirt-holding capacity and a large free water coalescing capability. The desiccator will reduce 3500 gallons of transformer oil from 60 parts per million water by weight to 30 parts per million without a change in desiccant at ambient conditions.

Both desiccant and filter elements are packaged for easy replacement by operating personnel in the field or shop.



NEW OIL CLEANER . . . A technician checks the new Horkey-Moore Assoc. portable oil decontamination unit, the Porta De-Con, which has been designed by the Torrance firm to remove impurities from hydraulic and oil systems of aircraft, missiles, and heavy duty industrial machinery.

CHESS AND CHECKERS

Friday evenings need not go to waste if you are interested in meeting new friends and learning a new, fascinating

game. Chess and checkers are the games being offered and Alondra Park's Activity Building is the place each Friday at

7:00 p.m. Here's a chance to learn either game or to meet new competition if you already play chess or checkers.

Next Week's School Menu

Although most Torrance youngsters will get turkey on Thanksgiving Thursday, main dishes in elementary schools next week will include spaghetti, hot dogs, and baked beef hash.

Schools will be closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Elementary meals, including milk, cost 30 cents. Ice cream bars are six cents extra, while single bottles of milk cost four cents. On the menus are:

Monday — spaghetti with meat sauce, buttered spinach, tossed green salad, sliced peaches and cottage cheese, hot

French bread, milk.
Tuesday — toastie hot dog on bun, buttered corn, relish sticks, an pick chips, cotrus fruit with banana, milk.

Wednesday — baked beef hash, scalloped potatoes, tossed green salad, peanut butter and honey sandwich, apricot in syrup, milk.

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